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PATENT APPLICATION



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re Application of:

YASUSHI KOIKE, ET AL.

Application No.: 10/611,981

Filed: July 3, 2003

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: Examiner: Unassigned

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: Group Art Unit: Unassigned

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: October 3, 2003

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the following U.S. Application:

INVENTOR(S)

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Kazuhisa Kawakami, et al.

10/610,585

July 2, 2003

A copy of the above-identified application is enclosed.

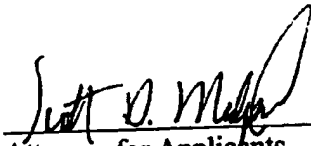
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CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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